

LONG TERM APPLICATION – 2009 OUTBOUND

WHAT DOES AN EXCHANGE COST?

Actual costs will vary depending on the country of exchange and the student's personal budget.

OUTBOUND STUDENT/FAMILY.

For a 2009 outbound student a PARTICIPATION FEE of \$7,300.00 (Inc GST) is applicable.

Of this amount, a deposit of \$3,500.00 is payable with the return of your application or at the time of the District Interviews, being held on the 31st May and 1st June 2008. The balance of \$3,800.00 is payable by 31 August of the application year.

The PARTICIPATION FEE includes:

- No Refundable Administration Cost of \$400
- District Interview costs.
- First Orientation Weekend Camp (19th, 20th & 21st September).
- Prepaid Return Airline ticket (valid for 12 months).
- Australian Government Airport Departure Tax.
- Visa costs.
- Rotary Overseas Travel and Medical Insurance. (\$750 est)
- Second Orientation Briefing Session (6th December).
- Fuel Levy of \$450 (this could change – depends on Airlines in November)
- District Roundabout Tour for seven days \$500 (starts at the end of the second orientation session –6th December until 13th December).
- Rotary Youth Exchange Uniform.
- Name Badge.
- Photo Business Cards
- Handbook – Students Manual
- Travel Bag / Backpack
- Souvenir Pack and pins
- District Maps

During the year overseas:

- Three copies of the Outbound Students “Boomer” Magazine - (via email and parents receive hard copy).
- Support from the District Committee and District Governors Leadership Team

On return to Australia:

- Attendance at the Rebound Debriefing Session (February).
- Attendance at a Graduation Dinner (held after the debriefing session)
- Invitation to the District Conference:
 - March: Registration fee and District Governors dinner, is included.
 - Friday Dinner & Saturday Lunch is included
 - Accommodation is not included.
- Invitation to assist at the District Outbound Student interviews (May).
- Invitation to Outbound Orientation (September week-end).
- Invitation to Outbound final briefing session (December).

Student and Family also need to provide funds for:

- Internal travel in overseas country, including any Rotary organised tours
- Day to day living expenses, postage, phone calls, facsimile, E-mail, clothing, footwear, etc
- The cost of attending language school if necessary
- A small emergency fund equivalent to \$A500 (redeemable at the conclusion of the exchange, if unused – Mandatory by RI)
- Students going to South Africa will be required to purchase local medical insurance at a cost of approximately R1,500

THE HOST ROTARY CLUB PROVIDES:

- Board and lodging with host families,
- Schooling expenses,
- Monthly allowance of the equivalent of approximately \$A110 per month.
- The host club also covers the cost of attending Host District Seminars and Host District Conference.

THE SPONSOR ROTARY CLUB PROVIDES:

- A contribution towards the cost of the student blazer, and any other items, which the club feels, they can afford.